

<b>CMS Manual System</b>	<b>Department of Health &amp; Human Services (DHHS)</b>
<b>Pub 100-04 Medicare Claims Processing</b>	<b>Centers for Medicare &amp; Medicaid Services (CMS)</b>
<b>Transmittal 1184</b>	<b>Date: FEBRUARY 9, 2007</b>
	<b>Change Request 5458</b>

**SUBJECT: Consolidation of Data Processing for Part A**

**I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES:** FISS will be required to program the Part A shared system to allow multiple contractor number (up to 6) processing in the same cycle

**New / Revised Material**

**Effective Date: July 1, 2007**

**Implementation Date: July 2, 2007**

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**II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS:** (N/A if manual is not updated)

R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED-Only One Per Row.

R/N/D	Chapter / Section / Subsection / Title
N/A	

**III. FUNDING:**

No additional funding will be provided by CMS; contractor activities are to be carried out within their FY 2007 operating budgets.

**IV. ATTACHMENTS:**

**One-Time Notification**

*\*Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.*

## Attachment – One-Time Notification

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## I. GENERAL INFORMATION

**A. Background:** On July 31, 2006, the first Part A/Part B Medicare Administrative Contract was awarded to Noridian Administrative Services (NAS). This contract is the first of 15 to be awarded to fulfill requirements of the Medicare Contracting Reform provisions of the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 (MMA).

In order to maximize efficient data processing, the Enterprise Data Centers ( EDCs) should be able to process multiple contractor numbers in the same processing cycle. Currently the Fiscal Intermediary Standard System(FISS) is not able to allow for such an efficiency as processing cycles are limited to one contractor number (i.e. state). Under this Change Request, FISS will be required to program the Part A shared system to allow multiple contractor number (up to 6) processing in the same cycle.

**B. Policy: N/A**

## II. BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS TABLE

*Use “Shall” to denote a mandatory requirement*

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### III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

Number	Requirement	Responsibility (place an “X” in each applicable column)							
		A / B	D M E	F I	C A R	D M E	R H H	Shared- System Maintainers	OTHER

